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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Training

SUBJECT : Emergency Communications Facilities from
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1. As requested by your Office, emergency communications are now established between [REDACTED] and the Central Intelligence Agency Relocation Site. For security reasons, this communication link can be utilized only under actual emergency conditions. This Office will arrange to operate necessary tests and exercises to insure communications under emergency conditions.

2. Two methods of rapid communications are available for operation under varying conditions, should activation of emergency circuits become necessary.

- a. As a primary contact and for handling volumes of traffic, radio teletype is available.
- b. As a secondary means of communication, manual code (CW) circuits are available. When atmospheric conditions or interference will not permit teletype use, this slower method will insure contact.

3. The communicator has been provided a cryptographic channel with the Alternate Signal Center for the purpose of handling classified traffic.

4. This emergency operation does not justify the assignment of communications personnel for this specific duty. Staff communications personnel assigned to [REDACTED] will operate and maintain this stand-by emergency facility on a collateral duty basis.

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Director of Communications

cc: CIA Emergency Planning Officer

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